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OFFICE OF MILITARY GOVERNMENT FOR GREATER HESSE, APO 633, US Army
27 February 1947.

TO: Director, OMG for Germany (US), APO 742, US Army
ATTENTION: MFA&A Section, Restitution Branch, Economics Division

1. It is regretted that none of the six Gothic chasubles belonging to
the chapel of Schloss Mauterndorf in Austria has been identified at the
Wiesbaden Collecting Point.

2. The excellently detailed (if occasionally unintentionally rowdy)
list has been filed for future reference.

FOR THE DIVISION DIRECTOR:

THE DORE A. HEINRICH
Chief, MFA&A Section

*Mauterndorf
(Schloss Austria)*

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Austria

OFFICE OF MILITARY GOVERNMENT FOR GERMANY (U.S.)
Economics Division
Restitution Branch
APO 742

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17 February 1947

SUBJECT: Six Chasubles from the Castle-Chapel Mauterndorf, Austria

TO : Restitution Branch
Economics Division
Office of Military Government for Bavaria
APO 407, U. S. Army
Attn: MFA&A Section

Restitution Branch
Economics Division
Office of Military Government for Hesse
APO 633, U. S. Army
Attn: MFA&A Section

Information Control Division
Office of Military Government for
Wuerttemberg-Baden
APO 154, U. S. Army
Attn: MFA&A Section

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1. This office is in receipt of attached claim by the Austrian Government for six Gothic chasubles, from the castle-chapel Mauterndorf, Austria, described in inclosure, and forwarded to this headquarters by OMGUS (Rear).

2. It is requested that an endeavor be made to locate these art objects and any available information be furnished this office.

FOR THE CHIEF, RESTITUTION BRANCH:

1 Incl: Claim: Mission
Ref. No. 1094/27,
w/incl. inventory

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APPLICATION FOR RESTITUTION OF PROPERTY
FROM GERMANY TO THE Austrian GOVERNMENT

Mission Ref. No. 1094/27

January 2nd, 1947

Claim No.

1. Detailed description of property (if more than 2 items, attach descriptive inventory in 7 copies).
See attached inventories.
2. Present location (give exact address and name of present holder).
It is assumed that the above-mentioned chasubles are in the collection of Goering at "Karin Hall".
3. Was the property:
 - a. In existence in the claimant nation at the time the occupation began? Yes
 - b. Produced in claimant nation during occupation? no
 - c. Moved into the claimant nation by the Germans during the occupation? no
4. Give details concerning removal:
 - a. Dates, by whom and from where
At the beginning of the year 1938 the chasubles were in the castle-chapel Mauterndorf near Salzburg and from there Goering, who took possession of this castle, removed the chasubles probably to his castle "Karin Hall" Schorfheide in Germany.
 - b. If by force, give full particulars and documentary evidence of available looting, forced sale, public auction, requisition etc.
See attached description of the princearchepiscopal office in Salzburg.
5. Remarks.
6. Address for shipping if released.
Schenker & Co., AG. Salzburg, at disposition of the Fürst-erzbischofliches Ordinariat at Salzburg.

For and on Behalf of the
Government of Austria

Signature (illegible)

Chief of the Mission

Incl. 1

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I n v e n t o r y _ 1

It deals about 6 Gothic chasubles out of the castle-chapel
Mauterndorf Austria, in the following performance:

- a) Casel of red Moiré silk with a Gothic cross part which is transported on the Casel. On this cross part is in flax embroidery on a gold ground the holiest trinity, so-called favour-chair between two angels, swinging a censer and under that the holy bishop Rupert (with a salt cellar) and Virgil (with the cathedral), St. Heinrich and Kunigunde (with plough share) under that the annual number 1519, on the right hand the arms of Salzburg (lion and red-white-red field), on the left hand the Keutschach arms (a rape). In front of the chasuble St. Hieronymus and St. Elisabeth.
- b) Casel of violet silk, cross part on gold ground, Mary with the Jesus-child, on the crescent between the apostels Bartholomaeus and Paulus, under them St. Michael with the souls-balance and the holy Stephenus. Under the cross beam in the corners the arms of Salzburg and the Keutschach arms. In front on dark yellow silk the pains-man, St. Magdalena and St. Sebastian.
- c) White Casel; on new white silk Christ on the cross between angels, over him God Father in clouds, under him Mary and John, under them Mary Magdalena. On the front side (tendrils), of the chasuble red and blue tendrils and Christ with the stigmas.
- d) Casel, on red ground a naturalistic cross in embroidery, the Saviour, besides the feet of Christ Mary and John under them Magdalene, on the front side tendrils.
- e) Green Casel; on green stuff with interweaved gold-yellow imagination animals an embroidered cross, in the cross beam Mary with the Jesus child, under them the Holy Elisabeth and under her the holy Margaretha; in the other cross beam besides the Mother of God two holy virgins, one of them (with tower) the holy Barbara. On the front side the holy Georgius and Marthinus.
- f) A Casel of blue-violet, yellow and red striped silk, under it the sewed on arms of the family Pauer.